

Softly Now The Light Of Day



1. Soft - ly now the light of day Fades up - on my sight a - way;
2. Thou, whose all per - vad - ing eye Naught es - capes, with - out, with - in,
3. Soon for us the light of day Shall for - ev - er pass a - way;
4. Thou who, sin - less, yet hast known all of man's in - fir - mi - ty;



Free from care, from la - bor free, Lord we would com - mune with Thee!
Par - don each in - firm - i - ty, O - pen fault and se - cret sin!
Then from sin and sor - row free, Take us, Lord, to dwell with Thee!
Then, from thine e - ter - nal throne; Je - sus, look with pity - ing eye.